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**MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION**

Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL - UTILITY**

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is a utility patent application:

**Inventor:** Jorge L. ACOSTA

**Title:** DENSE PATTERN OPTICAL SCANNER

**I. PAPERS ENCLOSED HEREWITH FOR FILING UNDER 37 CFR § 1.53(b):**

16 Pages of Written Description  
4 Pages of Claims  
1 Page of Abstract  
12 Sheets of Drawings (informal)

**II. ADDITIONAL PAPERS ENCLOSED IN CONNECTION WITH THIS FILING:**

☒ Declaration (copy from prior application Ser. No. 09/650,882)  
☐ Application Data Sheet  
☐ Power of Attorney by Assignee of Entire Interest  
☐ Assignment Recordation Cover Sheet  
☐ Assignment  
☐ Information Disclosure Statement  
☐ Form PTO-1449 (with references)  
☒ Formal drawings (12 sheets) and transmittal  
☒ Return receipt postcard

**III. PRIORITY**

This is a ☒ continuation, ☐ divisional, ☐ continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No. 09/650,882, filed August 30, 2000.

Prior application information: Examiner: Seung H. Lee, Group Art Unit 2876

For CONTINUATION OR DIVISIONAL APPS only: The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which an oath or declaration is supplied as noted in Section II above, is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuation or divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference. The incorporation can only be relied upon when a portion has been inadvertently omitted from the submitted application parts.

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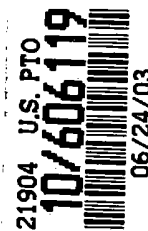
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**VI. AUTHORIZATION TO CHARGE FEES**

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